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Applicant : Maurice M. Moloney and Gijs van Rooijen  
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Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
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**RESPONSE**

Sir:

The present letter is filed in response to the office action of October 16, 2007. We enclose a petition for a three month extension of time rendering the deadline for reply April 16, 2008. Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

**Amendment to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.